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**Thursday
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- Human Resources
- EEO Managers and Staff
- Attorneys
- Managers and Supervisors
- State and Local Officials
- Union Officials
- Federal EEO Staff (seminar approved for EEO Investigator Refresher credit)

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Schedule

7:30 a.m. Registration

8:30 a.m.
Start

12:30 Lunch
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4:30 p.m.
End

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This program has been submitted to the HR Certification Institute for review and SHRM recertification credits are being sought. Refresher training requirement for federal agency EEO (counselors, investigators and/or mediators) has been approved.

Agenda

7:30 AM *Registration and Continental Breakfast*

8:30 AM *Welcome and Opening Remarks*
James R. Neely, Jr., District Director - EEOC St. Louis District

8:45 AM *Legal Updates - The ADAAA and GINA Today*
In 2008, the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA) and the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act (GINA) were both enacted. Since then, the laws have had a major impact on businesses. An in-depth presentation on the laws, recent litigation, impact of court decisions, the interactive process, leave as an accommodation, direct threat, 100% healed requirement, impact of wellness programs, and best practices will be discussed.
Christopher Kuczynski, Assistant Legal Counsel, EEOC

10:00 AM *Break*

10:15 AM *Transcending Gender and Religion in the Workplace (Panel)*
Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender (LGBT) issues have become a hot topic in public debate as well as in the workplace. Title VII coverage and protections for LGBT individuals will be discussed.
Religious Freedom vs. LGBT Rights - When do your employment rights trump mine? Sexual orientation, gender identity and other LGBT issues can result in workplace conflicts and harassment complaints. A panel presentation and legal analysis with the EEOC, Plaintiffs' Bar and Defendants' Bar. *PDA / ADAAA* An examination of the Pregnancy Discrimination Act (PDA), issues relating to pregnancy, disability, caregiver discrimination, EEOC's updated guidance on pregnancy discrimination, Young v. United Parcel Service (UPS) and the intersection of the PDA and ADAAA.

11:30 AM *The Big Payback*
There can be significant costs associated with *Retaliation*: monetary awards and settlements, low morale, high turnover, decreased productivity, etc. Retaliation is the most frequently alleged basis of discrimination in the private AND federal sector. Learn more about what constitutes retaliation, why it happens, and how to prevent it.

40 is the new 30 (Except in the Workplace)
In today's millennial-driven job market, older workers certainly agree that age bias exists: 64% of workers aged 45 to 74 said they've seen or experienced age discrimination in the workplace, according to an AARP survey. A fresh look and analysis of the Age Discrimination in Employment Act - *ADEA* will be presented.

12:30 PM *Lunch and Networking* (Special Guest Speaker) - To Be Announced

1:30 PM *Toolkit for the Model EEO Employer (Panel)*
The model employer fosters a work environment that is free from discrimination and promotes equal, fair, and inclusive employment opportunities for all employees. Learn best practices for *Recruitment*, *Hiring*, retaining a diverse and talented workforce. Legal updates and procedural changes affecting the *Federal Sector complaint process*, *Private Sector charge process* and the new *Digital Charge System* (ACT Digital). *Conducting and Surviving Internal Harassment Investigations* - Prompt and effective responses are critical and can limit or eliminate employer liability in a workplace harassment complaint or litigation. *Dusting Off the Employee Handbook* - Due to recent developments in case law, your employee handbook may need updating. Recent rulings and other guidance regarding social media, bullying, nursing, etc., may necessitate modifying, adding language to or deleting your current policies.

3:00 PM *Break*

3:15 PM *The State of Pay Today*
The EEOC, National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) and Department of Labor's Wage and Hour Division (WHD) will share the latest guidance, statutory requirements and tips on pay transparency from their agencies; with an overview of the Equal Pay Act (EPA) and Lilly Ledbetter Fair Pay Act.

Critical Updates for Federal Contractors (Panel)
Hear from the experts at the Dept. of Labor's Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP) regarding the ADA, and new rules under Section 503 of the Rehabilitation Act and the Vietnam Era Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act (VEVRAA).

4:30 PM *Adjourn*

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